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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/HR2003/000036	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 07 July 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 19 July 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF MODIFICATION I OF N-(1-METHYLETHYLAMINOCARBONYL)-4-(3-METHYLPHENYLAMINO)-3-PYRIDINESULFONAMIDE		
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I.A. Filed : July 7, 2003

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**COVER LETTER ACCOMPANYING U.S. NATIONAL STAGE PATENT  
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Sir:

Enclosed is a new National Stage patent application for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 C.F.R. 1.495. The Declaration and Power of Attorney attached thereto are in unexecuted form. A properly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney of the International Application as filed, will be filed within the period of time set in a Notification to be mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

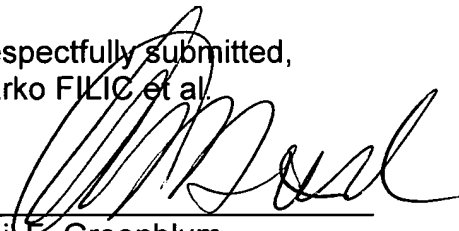
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Related to the above, this application should be associated with Customer Number 7055, which includes the present correspondence address as follows:

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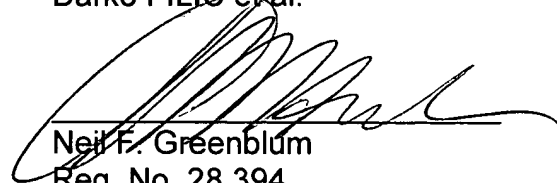
Sir:

Enclosed please find a copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report - Form PCT/IPEA/409 (hereinafter "Report") which was drawn on the originally filed description, and claims 1-15 as filed on October 11, 2004, and includes as an Annex amended sheets 7-9 including claims 1-15.

Based upon the submission of amended sheets of claims, Applicants respectfully request examination on the merits of the application containing amended sheets 7-9 of claims 1-15 in place of the originally filed claims in the International Application.

Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned  
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